SOME EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

PRICE 5 CENTS.

BLACK SEA FLEET MOBILIZED TO MOVE AGAINST TURKEY.

It Will Enforce the Czar's Demands for Redress for Murder of the Consul at Monastir.

NATURE OF THE REQUIREMENTS

TEXT OF COUNT LAMSDORFF'S LET-TER TO THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY.

Punishment of Murderer and His Abettors Demanded, with Enforcement of Needed Reforms.

ATTITUDE OF GREAT POWERS

RUSSIA'S DEMONSTRATION.

Berlin Takes a Calm View of the Situation-Paris Supports Russin-Late Reports from the East.

of the Russian Black sea fleet has been | the squadron has left port for an unknown ordered to sail for Turkish waters. Notifi- destination. The officials here do not becation of this move has been telegraphed lieve the Russian vessels will appear befrom Sebastopol to the Russian ambassador at Constantinople.

The dispatch of the squadron is intended to emphasize Russia's intention of exacting complete compliance with her demands as to satisfaction for the murder by a Turkish gendarme of her consul at Monastir.

The following telegrams exchanged between the Foreign Office and Russian representatives abroad show the first steps taken as a consequence of the murder of M. Rosikovski, the Russian consul at Mon-

On Aug. 11 Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, telegrapher to M. Zinovieff, Russian consul at Constantinople, that neither the Sultan's expression of regret, the visit of Prince Ahmed, the Sultan's son, to the ambassador, nor the expressions of sympathy by the grand vizier and other high Turkish dignituries was considered to be adequate satisfaction for the murder of M. Rostkovski. When M. St. Cherbina, the Russian consul, was murdered at Mit- to-night. To-day, with great effort, he rovitza, continued Count Lamsdorff, the saved three Indianapolis people from a Czar took into account the fact that the murderer was an Albanian whose tribe was | Pelt and Miss Van Pelt. They were in bathin rebellion against the government. The outrage at Monastir, however, was of quite another character and called for the severest punishment. The Czar, therefore, ordered that no promises on the part of the | Dr. Henderson saw they were drowning and Turkish government should be accepted, prepared to save them. Throwing off his

but that demands should be made as foi-The immediate severe punishment of the murderer; the arrest and exemplary punishment of the person who fired at M. Rostkovski's carriage; the immediate production of positive proofs that the Vali of civil and military officials responsible for

In addition to these demands Ambassador Zinovieff was instructed as a means of general pacification in the vilayet of Monastir to make the following demands: The immediate severe punishment of all Turkish officials regarding whose outrageous behavior a report was made by the director of the Russian consulate at Uskub,

after making a tour of the vilayet of Kossovo in company with the Austrian consul; the reinstatement of Ismael Hakki, who was dismissed, but whose efficiency was indorsed by Hilmi Pasha, inspector of Macedonia; the immediate release of the peasents on whom, according to the reports of the Russian and Austrain consuls; the Turks perpetrated atrocities; the instant dismissal and punishment of the officials of the administration of Salonica and Prizrend, whose malpractices have been brought to light, and finally, that the foreign officers employed in Macedonia shall immediately enroll fresh gendarmerie and police for the requisite protection of the peaceable population and the introduction of legislative

On Aug. 12 Count Lamsdorff telegraphed to the Russian diplomatic agent at Sofia obtain adequate satisfaction for the assassination of M. Rostkovski and therefore had already taken measures to secure redress. As on the occasion of the murder of Consul St. Cherbina the suppression of the insurrectionary movement among the Albanians was demanded, so on the present occasion demand had been presented to the Ottoman government for the severest punishment of all of the military and civil authorities guilty of atrocities against the

Count Lamsdorff impressed on the diplomatic agent that it was his duty to see that Russia's vigorous attitude towards the Porte was not interpreted by the Bulgarian government or the Macedonian committee as indicating any change in the political programme laid down in previous government communications. It would be a dangerous error, added the Russian foreign minister, on the part of the principality to consider Russia's present action as fostering the revolutionary agitation of the Macedonian committee, whose continued criminal activity was a hindrance to the pacification of the vilayets and, therefore, to the introduction of reforms. From the Russian consular reports it was clear that the Christian population suffered at the hands of the revolutionary bands as much as they did from the outrages and robberies committed by the Turks. All these circumstances, concluded Count Lamsdorff, proved the necessity for the most vigorous counteraction on the part of the Bulgarian government, with a view of the suppression of the troubles in the Balkan peninsula.

Surprise Caused at Vienna.

VIENNA, Aug. 15.-The publication here of the announcement that Russia intends to send a fleet to the Black sea has caused general surprise. This being a Catholic holiday, it is impossible to procure an official statement, but among minor officials and the public generally the opinion is expressed that unless it develops that Austria was cognizant of Russia's proposed action, the Russian-Balkan agreement may be vitally affected, as the news would seem to indicate that Russia Intends to pursue a more independent course than heretofore.

CRIMINALS PUNISHED.

New Consul's Account of Trial

Rostkovski's Assailants. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15 .- The following telegram has been received by the government from Dr. Mandelstam, who succeeded M. Rostkovski, the murdered Russian consul at Monastir, giving an account of the court-martial of the murderer:

"After proceedings extending over four days, the military court, presided over by favor of ratification. Amendments have Edhem Bey, to-day gave judgment. Dur-ing the trial I exercised the rights and rivileges of a public prosecutor in view of he circulation of outrageous calumny that consul had insulted and struck the Turkish sentry and even that he had shot

I insisted that before the court gave judgment it should clear up the circum-stances of the affair By replying to a ser-les of questions put by myself the court treaty appears to constitute the only chance of questions put by myself the court treaty appears to constitute the only chance at as felews: The sentry did not give for favorable action on the treaty.

the consul any military salute: the consul first beckoned to him, and then left the carriage and asked the man his name. It was absolutely proved that M. Rostkovski neither shot at Halim, the sentry, or in any way insulted him, but that Halim immediately fired at the consul several times and. when the consul fell, stepped up and fired again with rifle close to the consul's head, afterward battering his temples with

the butt of the rifle. "Halim was charged with the actual murder. Another sentry, Abbas, who was present, charged with having failed to afford the consul any protection, and two other sentries, Seinel and Assin, who were absent at the time of the murder, but the former of whom tried to excuse his comrade, were also brought before the court on charges of perjury. The chief of gendarmerie was charged with having placed at important posts wild Albanians who could not speak Turkish. Second Lieutenants Ismail Hakki and Salich Kadri were prosecuted because on the way to the Russian consulate after the murder, in speaking with Schoolmaster Misirkoff, they referred to the murdered consul in coarse and insulting terms. Tewfik, a lamp cleaner, who was before the court, contradicted the testimony of the other witnesses and declared that the consul had struck the sentry and had shot at him. He was charged

with perjury. "The court-martial sentenced Halim and Abbas to death, Sainel to fifteen years and Tewfik to five years penal servitude. The officers Ismail and Salch were sentenced to be dismissed from the army. Assin was acquitted. After I had signed the judg-ment it was read to the accused in my pres-

"Husseen Hilmi Pasha said that he had received an order from Constantinople to carry out the sentences immediately. The two men sentenced to death were hanged to-day. The dismissal of the officers from the army will take place this evening. The chief of the gendarmerie of the villayet, ENGLAND WILL NOT OBJECT TO the chief of the gendarmerie of Monastir and the captain of the company to which Halim belonged have been deprived of their commands and handed over to the judicial authorities. An inquiry has been instituted for the purpose of discovering who fired at the consul's carriage from the military

Russia Will Do Nothing Rash.

BERLIN, Aug. 15 .- The Foreign Office has received no confirmation of the news that a Russian Black sea squadron is going to ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15 .- A squadron | Turkish waters. Its information says that fore Constantinople, which might give en-(CONTINUED ON PAGE 9, COL. 2.)

INDIANAPOLIS PEOPLE SAVED BY · KANSAS CITY PHYSICIAN.

Young Doctor Plunged in the Water After the Van Pelts, Who Were Drowning.

Special to the Indianapolis Journa! WAWASEE, Ind., Aug. 15 .-- Dr. Ernest Henderson, a prominent physician of Kansas City, a brother of J. O. Henderson, formerly State auditor, is the hero of the lake watery grave. They are Mr. and Mrs. Van ing near Jones's pier, and not being familiar with the bottom, ventured beyond their depth.

They were going down a second time when coat he plunged into the water after them. He found considerable difficulty in keeping them up as they were locked arm in arm and in/their excitement were unable to help themselves. With great exertion Dr. Henderson drew them in to shore and they Monastir has been actually banished; the were soon resuscitated. But for the bravery immediate severe punishment of all the of the young physician the waters would were soon resuscitated. But for the bravery soon have closed over them.

OBTAINED BY THE PROJECTORS OF KING ALEXANDER'S MURDER.

Immunity for the Conspirators Secured Before Deed Was Commit-

ted-The King Under Coercion.

BERLIN, Aug. 15.-The Rhine-Westphalia Gazette prints a letter from a person in Belgrade "who is in confidential relations | He Would Deliver Ice and then Tear with the leaders of the recent conspiracy" explaining why King Peter is completely in that the imperial government could not their hands and does not dare to do the slightest governmental act without their approval. The writer affirms that the new King was cognizant of the conspiracy long before the regicide was perpetrated, and been paying for twice the amount of ice gave the conspirators a written pledge not to punish them if he himself was elected it is said, on account of the dishonesty of

> pledge was given: Minister of Commerce Genshics had been ly responsible, it is declared. fully matured, the latter went to Geneva! and consulted with Prince Peter Karageorgevitch, who expressed his approval of pany, was last night arrested by Patrolthe proposed murder and promised immunity for the conspirators. The minister returned to Belgrade and informed the regicide committee which, however, was not satisfied with a verbal promise. M. Genshies thereupon returned to Geneva and got a written agreement, which gave Prince Peter's sanction to the assassinations and promised exemption from punishment. The not on the company by whom he was emconspirators still have the letter and are ployed. using it to intimidate the King into complete subservience to their wishes.

New Cabinet Appointed.

BELGRADE, Aug. 15 .- Colonel Solarovics has been appointed war minister; Professor Neorisavleivics, finance minister; Professor Ruzeit, minister of public instruction, and Michailo Govanovics minister of justice in the place of holders of those portfolios driver delivers any ice he tears enough resigned on Aug. 12 because, it was stated, they refused to consent to the military credits unless all the state officials who enjoyed the late King Alexander's confidence were dismissed.

TREATY HANGS FIRE

Nothing Done at Bogota in Regard to the Isthmian Canal.

PANAMA, Colombia, Aug. 15 .- Letters received from Bogota say that up to Aug. 1 the Panama canal committee had held only one meeting on account of disgust of members with the conduct of Senator Perez v Soto, who insisted on recalling the treaty at the first meeting. Senator Obaldia. warm supporter of the treaty, has had several conferences with President Marroquin and United States Minister Beaupre. but notwithstanding their efforts, the committee could not be induced to report in been offered which seem to meet the approval of twenty senators out of twenty-

Both the House of Representatives and the Senate are deeply impressed with the persistent rumors which reach Bogota of he possibility of a movement for the cession of the isthmus in case the treaty is

MR BRYAN VISITS AND



DECIDES TO

LAY ASIDE THE

WENT THROUGH

ELMER THOMS WORKED A GOOD ONE UNTIL HE WAS CAUGHT.

Driver for the Polar Ice Company Arrested for Defrauding Customers in a Smooth Way.

HOW HE TRIED TO GET RICH

DRIVER TOOK ADVANTAGE OF COU-PON BOOK SYSTEM IN USE.

Twice as Many Coupons as His Delivery Called For.

Many consumers of ice in this city have actually used during the last hot season King. According to the letter the following drivers employed to deliver the ice and were the circumstances under which the collect for it at the same time. The coupon system, which is used by several After the plans of Colonel Maschin and ice companies doing business here, is large-

Elmer Thoms, 517 West Fourteenth street, a driver for the Polar Ice and Fuel Commen Admier, Winn, Crabtree and Lee on a warrant sworn out by the Polar Ice Company charging him with embezzling about \$18, which, so far, is as much as they actually know he has stolen. The scheme by which the iceman embezzled the money worked a hardship on the consumer and

A lax method of keeping the accounts of the ice actually delivered and collecting the pay for it at the same time has fo some years been in use in this city as well as in most other places where the consumption of ice is large. The ice companies issue books of coupons which they sell for \$5 each to the consumer, and when the coupons from the book to pay for the ice. Most people trust to the honor of the iceman to take the proper number of coupons from their books. There has always been a feeling of insecurity in the minds of most customers of the ice companies as to the methods employed by the ice firms delivering ice in the city and recently a number of complaints have been heard as to the rapid use of ice according to the count of

COUPONS FOR 12,000 POUNDS. Some time ago Thoms, who for years has been a driver for the Polar Ice Company unconsciously dropped coupons for over 12,000 pounds of ice from his coat pocket while at the plant during noon hour, and they were picked up by an employe of the office. Immediately the suspicion of the ice firm was aroused and a quiet investigation was started. It was found that Thoms had beer in the habit of delivering fifty pounds of ice to a customer and tearing out a 100pound coupon, after which he would sell the extra fifty pounds for cash and pocket the money, turning the coupon in to his employers for the full amount of ice delivered. Most of his cash sales were made to small grocers and saloons and to private him here. the employ of the Polar and other ice com- - tectives.

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nanies have been defrauding the public by

the same method, and a rigid investigation will be begun at once. Thoms will be given a hearing in the Police Court to-morrow morning, and by that time it is thought enough additional evidence against him will have been secured to show that his operations were extensive. It is understood that the ice thefts have been common knowledge among certain drivers, and that they have regular places where they dispose of most of the ice which they have accounted for to their companies by the coupons stolen from the consumer. When seen at the police station last night Thoms said: "I have been accused of stealing a lot of ice and selling it. How would you like to be the ice man?

PERSISTENT STOWAWAY.

Francesco Ranezza Caught by the Authorities for Eleventh Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15 .- For the eleventh time Francesco Ranezza, a professional stowaway, has attempted to make his home in this country and for the eleventh time he will be deported Monday at the expense of the steamship company which brought

families, who were not in possession of | On previous occasions Ranezza has been coupon books. In that manner the ice detected and sent to Ellis island. This time company received its full money for the he jumped into the river from the steamer ice, but the innocent consumer was the suf- | Sicilian Prince and in making for shore ferer. It is thought that other drivers in swam into the arms of two Brooklyn de-

ASSESSMENT ON CITY REAL ESTATE INCREASED \$12,000,000.

Illinois and Pennsylvania Streets Advanced \$700 a Front Foot.

VALUATION OF RESIDENCE PROP-ERTY LITTLE CHANGED.

Creek Go Up-Real-Estate Men Discuss Findings.

The assessed valuation of the real estate in Indianapolis is \$12,000,000 more than the assessment of four years ago, according to the returns of the assessment of Center township, which was completed this week. County Assessor Jefferson yesterday gave out estimates of the increases and decreases made in this assessment. The figures of the assessor of Center township have not been totaled yet, but Mr. Jefferson says the increase will amount, in round numbers, to \$12,000,000,

The valuation of property in some parts of the city was decreased, but the decreases were so small in comparison with the enormous increases that they do not make a showing in the aggregate results of the assessment.

The largest increase in the city was made on Washington-street property between Illinois street and Pennsylvania street. This increase amounts to about \$700 a front foot, bringing the valuation up to \$3,000. The next largest increase was made on the property on Pennsylvania street between Massachusetts avenue and Washington street. The valuation of the property in the first block north of Washington street was increased about \$500, bringing the total valuation per front foot up to \$1,800. Between Market and Massachusetts avenue Pennsylvania-street property was increased to about \$1,400 a front foot. This increase does not amount to as much as that on the first block north of Washing-

ton street. From Washington street to Ohio, Illinoisstreet property was increased about \$300 a front foot, which brings the total up to about \$1,000 a foot. All the property on Massachusetts avenue from Ohio to Tenth street was increased about 10 per cent. The only district in which the valuation of residence property was increased is Me ridian street north to Fall creek. This property, according to Mr. Jefferson and a number of leading real-estate brokers, has had the largest increase in value of any residence property in the city during the past four or five years. A substantial increase was made on all the Meridian-street property lying in the good residence dis-trict north of Fall creek.

AVERAGE ABOUT TEN PER CENT. "The increase in the assessed valuation of Indianapolis real estate will average about 10 per cent," said County Assessor Jefferson. "On some properties we put the assessment up as much as twenty-five percent, and on others the increase ranges between five and ten per cent. The figures have not been totaled yet, but I think the increase will amount to something like \$12,-000,000. I think this assessment is satisfactory to almost all property owners and l-estate men. Many large property

Ross, it is said, has for some time been threatening to kill his wife, who recently left him on account of his mistreatment and went to live with her mother, Mrs. Wilson, 938 West Washington street. Last night

ened him away. left arm. The neighbors gave chase and succeeded in catching him before he had

gone far. They secured the dagger and held him captive until the arrival of the police a moment later. Ross, it is said, is insane, and an insanity commission may act on his case to-morrow. Washington-Street Property Between

AVERAGE ABOUT 10 PER CENT. DEFENSE IN POWERS CASE WILL

Little New Developed at Saturday's Hearing-Noakes Is Expected

Lots on Meridian Street North of Fall

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Aug. 15.-Henry Broughton, of Bell county, the mountain witness called by the Commonwealth in the Powers case, who ran away from here several days ago to keep from testifying, was brought in this morning by deputies. Broughton's wife accompanied him. He was suffering from prolonged intoxication and a physician was attending him. Witnesses were introduced this morning

to show the capture of the defendant at Lexington as he was fleeing to the mountains, and to identify Jim Howard as the man on the steps of the executive building at the time of the shooting. Former Congressman John H. Wilson, of Barbourville, told of J. Lon Butler, a participant in the meetings of the alleged conspirators, saying to him a few days before the killing: "Goebel will be killed and Frankfort's streets will run with blood.'

Detectives D. E. Armstrong and W. G. Harding, of Louisville, who have been working on these cases three years, testified that in the week following the murder they asked Powers to whom he had given a key to his private office, and he declined to answer and asked them not to use what he had said in refusing to comply.

Henry Broughton had not recovered sufficiently to be called to the witness stand this afternoon, and Commonwealth's Attornev Franklin secured the indulgence of the court to call him Monday morning. With the calling of Broughton and another witness, who, it is rumored, is Nobert Noakes, of Whitley county, a witness who ran away after the first trial of Powers, the State will rest its case. The defense will occupy a week in the presentation of its evidence. The evidence this afternoon related to the calling of soldiers to Frankfort following the killing of Goebel and the introduction of the code signal telegrams sent out by Adjutant General Collier.

GEORGIA WARDEN RESIGNS.

Result of Inquiry Into Woman Prisoner's Story of Cruelty.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 15 .- The Georgia prison committee, which has been investigating the whipping of Mamie de Cris. white woman convict at the State prison farm, made its report to-day. With the report came the announcement of the resignation and its acceptance by the commission of Warden Allagood, whose conduct in punishing Miss de Cris was under investigation. The charges of improper proposals by Allagood, alleged by the woman and similar conduct toward other female convicts are found "absolutely false and malicious." The report says the warden acted entirely within his authority in whipping Miss de Cris and that he was led to it by extreme aggravation. The commission concludes that this particular punishment was "an error on the

part of the warden," who, recognizing that his usefulness "may have been impaired by reason of the prejudice which had been created against him by gross misrepresentation of the facts of the case, has vol-untarily tendered his resignation."

Mr. Jefferson says he thinks the personal

owners who will have to pay considerably

increased taxes as the result of this assess-

ment have told me that they thought the

property assessment of Indianapolis will be

about \$1,000,000 higher. The exact increase

cannot be told at this time. Last year the

assessment on real estate, including im-

year the assessment will be between \$111,-

000,000 and \$112,000,000. The total Indiana-

been much lower in proportion than in al-

near its value. The assessed valuation of

much of the down-town property has been too low. Few property owners and real-

"This is a move in the right direction,

creased about \$12,000,000. "The assessment

on most of the good down-town property

has been very much lower than it should

know of property on Washington street

which is held for \$100,000, on which the as-

sessment has been only \$63,000. That's a good way to own \$40,000 and not pay any taxes on it. The assessor has done right in

increasing the value of the Meridian-street

property north of Fall creek. This is some

of the best residence property in the city, and it has been assessed at an entirely too

INDIANS ARE MIGRATING.

Mississippi Choctaws Go to Indian

Territory for Land.

Mississippi Choctaw Indians are migrat-

ing to Indian Territory, in accordance with

an act of Congress passed last year which

requires these Indians to settle here in

order to secure an allotment of the value

Mississippi, many of whom are in strait-

ened circumstances. Congress appropriated

\$25,000 to remove the indigent ones to this

JOHN ROSS RUSHED AT HER WITH

UPLIFTED DAGGER.

Woman Fought Desperately Until

Neighbors Rushed to Her Relief

-Ross May Be Insane.

John Ross, 1101 Kentucky avenue, was ar-

rested last night by Patrolmen Green and

Woodward and charged at the police sta-

tion with assault and battery with intent

fused admission. Becoming infurlated, he

wicked-looking dagger in his uplifted hand,

telling her that her time had come and

with him and held the hand that was raised

to kill her until neighbors, attracted by her

screams, rushed into the house and fright-

In the struggle he tore every shred of

clothing from the back of the woman and

succeeded in cutting her, severely on the

THEN HAVE ITS INNING.

to Testify Again.

to kill and carrying concealed weapons.

There are several thousand Indians in

low figure.'

five per cent, basis and that is right.

said Mr. B. Ralston, of Ralston & Camden,

estate men will deny that, I think.

increase is not unjust."

provements, amounted to \$99,427,705. This NORTH ATLANTIC SQUADRON AT AN-CHOR IN THE SOUND.

polis assessment last year was \$132,909,530, which is increased to about \$145,000,000 this "I think Mr. Jefferson has done the right Nearly a Score of the Best Fighting thing in putting large increases on the Washington, Pennsylvania and Illinois-Ships of the Navy Rendezvous street property," said I. N. Richie. "The assessment of Indianapolis real estate has Off Oyster Bay.

most every other city in the State. And there is no reason for this condition. Our real estate should be assessed at something SEVEN FLAGS IN THE FLEET

PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, ADMIRAL when told yesterday afternoon that the FOUR REAR ADMIRALS. value of Indianapolis real estate on the Center township duplicate has been in-

be. Mr. Jefferson is going on the seventy-All These Will Participate in the Review, Which Will Be Observed by Distinguished Guests.

LIGHTENING THE BATTLESHIP

VAST QUANTITIES OF STORES RE-MOVER FROM MASSACHUSETTA.

ARDMORE, I. T., Aug. 15 .- Hundreds of | She Will Be Able to Proceed to a Dry Dock Under Her Own Steam Early This Week.

> OYSTER BAY, Aug. 15 .- The North Atlantic fleet came to anchor in the sound off Lloyd's Neck point at sundown this evening, and lies in four long lines, reaching east and west for two thousand yards. The fleet left Bar Harbor at noon Wednesday

> in a fog which lasted about ten hours. Orders had been issued by Rear Admiral Barker, the commander-in-chief, that the fleet, in case of separation, should rendezvous in Gardiner's bay. The battleships and the cruisers did become separated, but joined again off Nantucket.

> While anchored in Smithtown bay the Dolphin, with Secretary of the Navy Moody on board, passed and was saluted. The Dolphin arrived here about the middle of the afternoon, and the Mayflower and the Sylph fired the salute of the secretary of the navy. Secretary Moody is the guest of the President at Sagamore Hill to-night.

The disposition of the fleet is that the first squadr n, consisting of the flagship of Rear Admiral Barker, the Kearsarge, and the battleships Illinois and Alabama, making the first division, and the flagship of Rear Admiral Sands, the Texas, and the cruiser Baltimore making the second division, lie in one column, with 500-yard intervals. Eight hundred yards to the north is the second squadron, the first division unhe went to the home of his mother-in-law der Rear Admiral Coghlan, consisting of and demanded to see his wife, but was re- the cruisers Olympia (flagship) and the Topeka, and the second division under Rear burst open the door, and, seeing his wife Admiral Wise, consisting of the Yankee, Prairie and Panther. standing inside, rushed at her with a

Six torpedo boat destroyers, Lieutenant Chandler commanding the division, lie between the first squadron and the Long that he intended to kill her. She grappled island shore, and six, under Lieutenant Benham, lie between the second squadron and the Connecticut shore. The destroyer Chauncey will go to New York and convey

the foreign attaches to the Kearsarge on President Roosevelt and his family and house guests will attend divine services tomorrow on board the battleship Kearsarge. The trip from Sagamore Hill to the battle-ship will be made on the Sylph. The President has as his guest to-night Captain W. H. Brownson, superintendent of the Annapolis Naval Academy. To-morrow Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, will arrive at Sagamore Hill. This afternoon the President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained the junior officers of the Mayflower and Sylph at 5 o'clock tea.

Admiral Dewey is expected to arrive to-morrow. He will go aboard the Mayflower and subsequently will call on the President to pay his respects. Arrangements are practically complete for the review of the fleet by the President on Monday. The ceremony will take place in the sound, almost directly north of the entrance to Oyster bay. It gives promise of being an imposing naval spectacle, near-ly a score of the Nation's best fighting ships being expected to participate in the maneuvers. President Roosevelt will review the fleet from the bridge of the auxiliary cruiser Mayflower, which will break out his flag at her peak at a o'clock Monday morning. On the Mayflower, as the guests of the President, will be Admiral Dewey, Admiral Taylor, Admiral Rogers, Admiral Brownson, General Chaffee, Sir Thomas Linton, Colonel Sherman-Crawford, C. Oliver Iselin, Butler Duncan, Capt. Woodbury Kane and Commodore Bourne, of the New York Yacht Club, besides other friends of the President. The review wil begin at 9 a. m. and the ceremony will probably not be concluded until 2:30 p. m. The President expresses great regret that the accident to the Massachusetts should have detained that battleship and the Indiana in the north.

Gen. Robert Shaw Oliver, who recently was appointed assistant secretary of war, arrived here to-day to confer with President Roosevelt about his new duties. He was a guest of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at luncheon. Capt. W. S. Cowles, the President's naval aid, arrived to-day

LIGHTENING THE SHIP.

Many Stores Removed from the Disabled Massachusetts.

from Washington.

BAR HABOR, Me., Aug. 15 .- The battleship Massachusetts, which stove several holes in her bottom when she scraped Egg rock Wednesday, floats on the water more lightly to-night than before, having been relieved of immense quantities of naval

The tug Storm King arrived this afternoon with two big rotary wrecking pumps. These will not be used at present, as the water already has been removed from several of the compartments and the holes in the plates have been temporarily stopped. The collier Lebanon and the Nina, which had been taking aboard ammunition and supplies from the Massachusetts, have transferred the material to the supply ship Culgos, and they are now taking part o the coal supply from the disabled vessel. It is not anticipated that there will be much difficulty in taking the Massachusetts to a navy yard after temporary repairs have been completed. It is expected that she will proceed under her own steam

early next week. Constructor's Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15 .- Nava! Constructor H. G. Gilmore, who, by direction of acting Secretary Darling, went from Bath, Me., to inspect the Massachusetts. sends the following dispatch, dated Bar Harbor, yesterday: "Examination at present discloses nothing to prevent Massachusetts going to New York when bulkheads are shored and minor leaks in bulkheads temporarily stopped. This report is preliminary, and is submitted in my name by direction of the senior officer present.

Robbed of Money and Jewels. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15 .- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hurton, wealthy residents of Montreal, have been robbed of Jewels worth \$2,000 and \$400 in currency while on board a train coming out here. The robbery is supposed to have been perpetrated when the train was passing through Ne-

yada, the thief entering the Pullman dur-

ing the night and abstracting a suit case